## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

) Group Art Unit: 3736
) Examiner: HOEKSTRA, Jeffrey Gerben
) <u>AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL</u>
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VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of May 21, 2008 in connection with the above-referenced Application. Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 thereby extending the time for response from August 21, 2008 until September 21, 2008. Although Applicant believes that a further extension is not required, please consider this a petition for an additional extension, if any, required in order to maintain the pendency of the Application, and please charge the extension fee, if any, to Deposit Account No. 50-1419. Also, although Applicant believes that no fees are due in connection with claim amendments made herein, please charge any fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 50-1419.

Please amend the application as indicated herein. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper. Applicant's Remarks follow the Amendments to the Claims.